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AN ATROCIOUS CRIME. Boy Hung to a Tree by a Mexican

Woman, Widow of an Ex-Governor. Ensenada, Mexico, July 19 .- A mos

atrocious murder was committed here last night. Jesus Guiterrez, a boy about 10 years of age, who has been working for the late ex-Governor Ryerson's wife, was hanged to a tree. For some time was hanged to a tree. For some time past the woman has been in the habit of clubbing the boy for the slightest cause. Last night the boy was tied up with a dog-collar around his neck, to which was attached about four feet of clothes-line, and hauled up to a tree. This morning he was found on his knees dead, and a post mortem examination showed his neck was broken. Mrs. Ryerson has been arrested, charged with murder, and under the Mexican law held incommunicado for 72 hours, so no statement can be obtained from her. San Diego, Cal., July 19.—Ryerson was governor at Lower California, preceding Gov. Torres in office.

CABLE WITHOUT COST.

Melbourne, July 19.-The Eastern Exension Tolograph Company has made at offer to the Victorian government to lay a cable from Australia to South Africa without cost to the Colonies. The company requires neither a subsidy nor a guarantee.

MAJOR MARCHAND.

Paris, July 19.—Major Marchand has been attached to the Fourth Regiment of Marine Artillery, which is now gar isoning Toulon.

** OBJECTIONS BY SMALL POWERS.

Protest Against Proposals for a Court of Enquiry at Peace Conference.

The Hague, July 18 .- The committee of the international conference met to day, M. Bourgeois of France presiding At the opening sitting the Roumanian Grecian and Servian delegates jointly moved the total suppression of the five articles relating to international courts of inquiry. M. Beldiman, Roumanian delegate, was their spokesman and ad dressed the committee for an hour. He claimed that the proposition for a of inquiry was not contained in Coun Muravieff's circular and was contrary to the principle of national sovereignty

Muravieff's circular and was contrary to the principle of national sovereignty. Roumania, he said, would gladly pledge herself to the rest of the arbitration scheme, but it was impossible to fulfil these and other obligations. Chevalier Deschamp, the Belgrian delegate, and Professor Martens, of Russia, defended the articles, which were finally passed on first rending, the three protesting states recording their objections.

In the interval between the meeting of third committee and that of the drafting committee, which was held later, strong efforts were made to effect a compromise as regards the motion for the suppression of the five articles relating to international courts of inquiry, as the Roumanian delegate had made certain remarks not palatable to the delegates of the powers. At the meeting of the drafting committee Prof. Maartens demolished all of M. Beldiman's arguments. He said that when everything had been done to protect the weaker states against the stronger, the former thus obtaining a shield—the commission of inquiry proving this—he was willing to make some further concessions in the way of making the matter more optional. These concessions were accepted by the smaller powers, and the proposal passed its second reading. The arbitration scheme will probably be passed entirely to-morrow.

NEWFOUNDLAND LEGISLATURE Closing of the Session Made the Oc ion for a Military Display.

St. John's, Nfld., July 19.-The New foundland legislature closed to-day. Rear Admiral Sir George Bedford, commander-in-chief of the North American and West Indian station, paraded 1,000 seamen and marines from the Brit-

1,000 seamen and marines from the British fleet on the occasion.

Governor Sir Henry Edward McCallum, in his speech closing the session, observed that the termination of the French shore modus vivendi at the close of this year, without any demand by the Imperial government for its enactment, indicated a likelihood of an early peaceful solution of the whole difficulty. MRS. SANFORD'S HOME-COMING

Was Embarking From England When She Heard of Her Husband's Death.

New York, July 18-It was a New York, July 18.—It was a sad home-coming for Mrs. W. E. Sanford and her daughters, who arrived here today on the White Star liner Majestic, for they were informed by cable just before the vessel left Liverpool of the death by drowning of their husband and father, Senator W. E. Sanford, of Humilton, Ont. The cutter Calumet, when she carried the customs officers to quarantine, took down the buy a number of relatives of the Senator and Mrs. Sanford, who went to meet her and escort her to Hamilton. The scene on the vessel when Mrs. Sanford greeted her relatives was affecting. The narty went to the Waldorf-Astoria, and from there will leave as soon as possible for Hamilton.

Horrors Of Alaska.

Four of a Party of Five Miners Lose Their Lives in the North.

Were Searching for a Diamond Mine When Overtaken by Dread Disease.

Only Survivor Spends a Year in Slavery Among Siberian Exiles.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Seattle, July 19.-H. C. Hoffman has reached here from Alaska with news of the death of four companions in the terrible Black Hole of Alaska while hunting for a diamond mine. The dead are Walter Dedds, of Paterson, N. J.; James LaBelle, of Lower Canada; Enrich, New York; and Harry Martin of New York.

The party left New York in 1894, and finally went inland from the west coast of Alaska. LaBelle was the first vic-

of Ataska. Labelle was the first victim. When near Knakak he broke out during the night with a loathsome disease resembling smallpox, but which was much more deadly. Within 24 hours he was dead. A few days later Dodds was stricken with the same disease. Enrich suicided at once by shooting a hole through his heart, as he did not have the nerve to go through the sufferings he had witnessed in LaBelle. Dodds was left with plenty of provisions and the other two men fled. Dodds was afterwards found dead. Martin perished, it is believed of cold, in the Alaskan mountains. Hoffman finally reached a settlement of Siberian convicts who had managed to cross Behring Sea. He was virtually a slave for a long time, but managed to escape, and after exciting experiences managed to reach Seattle.

Hoffman's story of the convict settlement is most interesting. The convicts who had succeeded in escaping from the Russian mines had taken possession of the Indian village of Kevollkog, on the edge of the Black Hole country. He says the inhabitants were the toughest lot of cut-throats he had ever seen. He was kardly within their iced habitation before he was robbed of everything he had left. He was then kept prisoner, and for a time was under sentence of death as a spy. He was afterwards removed to a town the name of which he never learned. Here he slaved for over a year, and was compelled to cut wood, clean fish and cook for the former prisoners, who treated him most shamefully. Finally he resolved to escape and succeeded in reaching Tascock, on the coast, whence Indians helped him to a white settlement on the Koyukuk river. He still believes that there is a diamond mine in the Black Hole country.

F. Spellaey, of St. Mary's, Ohio, who errived by the Dirigo from Koyukuk tells of a strange disease which created great havoc among the miners in the Allenkeket river. Among the victims were James McGraw, of New York, —Goff, of San Francisco, and three Englishmen who went North on the stemer Research. The doctors on the Koyukuk are still il

CONDITIONS IN CUBA.

Lack of the Usual Rains Causes Late Crops-Too Much Tobacco on Hand.

Havana, July 19.-Throughout Cuba the lack of rain in usual quantities is causing much delay in the maturing of crops, particularly sugar. A majority of planters are preparing a large acreage for fall planting. Frequently the rain-fall is heaviest in the months of Sep-tember and October. Seemingly tobacco is a drug in the market. Large quanti-ties of last season's crop remain in the hands of buyers who have been unable to find purchasers at profitable prioes. hands of buyers who have been unable to find purchasers at profitable prices. This condition is unexplainable. The tobacco is good and the crop is supposed to be short, owing to the small quantities grown on the island in the last few years. Santa Clara reports the greatest drought in 18 years.

FEW WERE KILLED.

Only Forty-Nine Members of the Secon Oregon Regiment Lost Their Lives in Philippines.

Washington, July 19 .- A statement prepared at the war department shows that of 56 officers and 1 216 onlisted men that of 56 officers and 1,316 enlisted men of the Second Oregon regiment only 49 were, killed in battle or died of disease during the campaign in the Philippines. a percentage of 3.6. The total number of officers and men to be mustered out at San Francisco are 1,104, a number of discharges having been previously made. Only two men are marked as deserters.

EARTHQUAKES IN ITALY.

Rome, July 19.—The damage done here by the earthquake shocks was slight, but at the village of Rocca di Papa, 15 miles southeast of Rome, it was more serious. A number of houses in that place fell. A part of a church was demolished at Gandolfoon, when conthwest side of Mount Albani, about 14 miles southeast of Rome. No fatalities have been reported.

CANADIANS AT BISLEY. They Keep to the Front, and Take Some of the Coveted Prizes.

Bisley, July 19 .- The only Canadian entitled to shoot in the second stage of the competition for the St. George's challenge vase is Graham, who has a score of 68 points. Corporal Ommundsen, of the Royal Scots, leads with a score of 70, the highest possible at both

Gilchrist, a Canadian, won in the tie

Gilchrist, a Canadian, won in the tie in the Premier competition, defeating Fleming, Payne and Pattison, and taking first prize, a bicycle.

The Duke of Cambridge competition, at 900 yards, commenced to-day. There were several scores of 45 out of a possible 50. Canadian scores were as follows: Buckley, 44; Bertram and Rennic, 43; Wilson, 41; Lieut. Robertson, 39; Bayles, 38; Ross, 15.

Shooting at 500 yards for the St. George's challenge vase was completed to-day, about seventy marksmen making the highest scores possible, including Fleming of the Canadian team. The scores of the other Canadian were: Buckley and Graham, 34; Bertram and Simpson, 33.

THE BOUNDARY NEGOTIATIONS.

Senator Fairbanks Says He Is Still Confident That They Will Be Resumed.

Washington, July 19.—Senator Fair-banks, chairman of the joint high American-Canadian commission, called on Secretary Hay this afternoon and had an extended interview. The Senator still expressed confidence that some arrangement might be made which would result in a resumption of the negotiations on the Alaskan boundary question. He reported to the secretary the conclusions he had reached as a result of his observations in Alaska.

MOSQUITO YACHTS.

Good Sport on Long Island Sound Yes terday-List of the Winners.

New York, July 19 .- Excellent sport was furnished on Long Island Sound to day by the 38 yachts that started in the third regatta of the race week series of third regatta of the race week series of the Larchmont Yacht Club. There was some disappointment at the non-appear-ance of the schooners Amorita and Quizzet but the close contest between the sloops in the small classes, and the fast sailing of Commodore Postley's Colonia, which won handsomely, made the event interesting from start to finish. The winners were: Colonia, Syce, Albi-core, Meemer, Possum, Oisean, Spend-thrift, Shelga, Nike, Volsung and Lob-ster.

ADMIRAL DEWEY ACCEPTS.

He Will Meet American Consuls and Their Wives at a Banquet.

New York, July 19 .- A despatch to he World from Trieste, Austria, says Admiral Dewey has accepted the invitation to the banquet offered to him or his arrival here by United States Minis ter Harris, who has invited all the American consuls and vice-consuls in Austria and Hungary with their wives to meet him.

The admiral wires that he has quaran The admiral wires that he has quarantined his flagship since she left Colombo, Ceylon, and has had no communication with shore. So he can land with a clean bill of health immediately on arrival. Special permit had to be obtained from Vienna to enable the cruiser olympia to enter this port, owing to a regulation affecting warships.

Minister Straus at Constantinople constantly pressed Admiral Dewey to visit him, but the latter was afraid of the fatigue, greatly needing complete rest and medical treatment.

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POPULAR COMMANDER.

Queenstown, July 19.—The White Star liner Teutonic, from New York, July 12, arrived here to-day, having been delayed by fog. Capt. Cameron will relinquish command of the steamer upon her arrival at Liverpool, to take command of the Oceanic, the White Star line's new steamer. The passengers on board the Teutonic on her last voyage under Captain Cameron subscribed for a present of a loving cup for the popular seaman.

TRANSVAAL FRANCHISE.

Pretoria, July 16.—The volksraad has adopted further articles of the franchise law, enabling sons of Uitlanders to become naturalized at the age of 16, and to obtain their franchises 5 years thereafter.

Crookedness Is Revealed.

Liberals Shown up Before the West Huron Election **Enquiry Commitee.**

British Columbia's Alien Act Has Not Yet Been Considered by the Government.

Railway Subsidies and Increase of Chinese Poll Tax to Come Before the Commons.

rom Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, July 19.-The house was engaged all day discussing the subject of preferential trade. The debate was ad-

Col. Prior was informed by Mr. Fielding that the contract for the Vancouver drill hall had been awarded to Vaiu and Lachance, of Hull, whose tender was \$65,658. The minister also stated that 280 persons in Victoria had petitioned in favor of the reductions in dock

in favor of the reductions in dock charges.

Col. Prior inquired whether it was the intention of the government to disallow the act to amend the Placer Mining act, otherwise known as the Alien act, passed by the legislature of British Columbia last January. Premier Laurier replied that the government had not yet received a report from the minister of justice upon the act. The government would not take the matter into consideration until such report had been received.

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In moving a resolution that the house sit in future in the mornings, Premier Laurier stated that the only important business remaining to be brought down were the railway subsidies and the bill to amend the Clinese Immigration act.

The West Huron election inquiry elicited considerable crookedness by Liberals. The investigation will continued to-morrow.

NEWSPAPERMEN'S PROTEST.

Gen. Otis Authorized by Cabinet to Treat It as He Deems Best. Washington. July 18.—The cabinet meeting to-day was longer than usual, and the members after it adjourned were more reticent than usual. Secretaries Gage, Wilson, Alger and Attorney-General Griggs are out of the city. There was some discussion of the "round robin" sent by the American newspaper correspondents from Manila via Hongkong. A decision was reached to allow the matter to drop. Officially the matter will be ignored, and Gen. Otis will be authorized to treat it as he deems best.

ACCIDENT ON CARIBOO ROAD. D. G. Clark Thrown From the Stage and Has Both Arms Broken.

Cliaton, B. C., July 10.—Monday eyening near the 105-Mile House, on the Cariboo road, 08 miles from here, D. G. Clark of Chicago, was thrown off the seat of a freight wagon by the wheel striking a stone just as the driver was turning off the road for camp. Clark had both arms broken below the elbows, and was unable to get them set until noon to-day, when he arrived here. Clark is a brother-in-law of W. Mc-Kinley, of Chicago, assistant auditor of the Northwestern Railway Company.

SHAMROCK WAS LEADING.

Zesterday's Race Was Called Off Before the Course Had Been Sailed

Cowes, July 19.—The Shamrock in the trial against the Britannia to-day won easily, being a mile and a half ahead at the finish. The course as

Congo Lemon

WALKING STICKS

Cherry Hazel, Ash Cinnamon Acacia Wangee Blackthorn Oak Tea Orange 🚜

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Gramella Olives & & Windows Regulation Swagger & &

HARRY SALMON.

THE CORNER

General Alger's Resignation.

Neither the Retiring Sccretary Nor the President Will Discuss It.

London Papers Now Look For Improvement in Philippine Campaign.

Washington, July 19 .- Secretary Alger to-day tendered to the President his resignation of the war portfolio. The resignation will be effective on August though it was tendered at the pleasure of the President. Notwithstanding the report that Mr. Alger would not long continue at the head of the war department, his actual resignation came suddenly and unexpectedly. That it would come before the end of the year was generally believed, but so little was it expected at this time that some of the cabinet officers, when the news first became public, were inclined to regard the announcement as premature. Formal acceptance of the resignation had not been made by the President up to a late hour to-night, but will be in a letter to be written within the next day or two-.No official statement as to the cause of the resignation was procurable either

No official statement as to the cause of the resignation was procurable either from the President or Mr. Alger, neither of whom would talk. Nor was the letter of resignation obtainable at this time. For the present nothing is known official relations between the President and his war minister, but later on official correspondence, including the latter's career as chief of the war department, doubtless will be given to the press.

The belief had prevailed in Washington for some time that Secretary Alger would resign from the cabinet, but the date generally set for it was toward the close of the year, when he had submitted his annual report, as he intended to sum up what had been accomplished during his brief but eventful direction of the war department. Its tender tonight was regarded as almost a foregone conclusion, in view of Mr. Alger's announcement about a month age that he had concluded to enter into the competition for the vacancy in the United States Senate to be caused by the expiration of the term of Senator MeMillan, a strong supporter of the administration, and that he had enlisted in his active support Governor Pingree, to whom had been attributed free criticisms of the policy that was supposed to be cherished by the President toward the Philippines.

At one time since then there was ground for the belief that a rupture might be avoided, but this belief ceased to be held when the news spread that Vice-President Hobart and Secretary.

ground for the belief that a rupture might be avoided, but this belief ceased to be held when the news spread that Vice-President Hobart and Secretary. Alger were in conference at Normanhust. It was largely at least as a result of this conference that Secretary. Alger decided to leave the cabinet at this time. There has been no disclosure of what passed by the seaside, but it is significant that the return of the secretary to Washington was followed by prompt action. He arrived in Washington last night too late to make any official calls. Almost before the executive mansion was opened this morning he called at the White House, and visiting the President in his office, announced that he had concluded to resign. What passed on that point between himself and the President is only a matter of surmase for neither have anything to say on the point. The Secretary returned to his once, wrote out his formal letter of resignation and personally carried it over to the White House. His call on this occasion was brief and when he returned to the war department he closed the dead of his office to most of the many catica who were in waiting. To the newspaper men who sought to secure some expression from him the Secretary was courteous but uncommunicative. The closest inquiry fails to elicit any information as to the intentions of the President respecting the appointment of a successor to Mr. Alger. Names are mentloned but they are only those which have already been suggested with more or less plausibility in the press without securing either confirmation or denial from any well informed person.

London, July 19.—The Standard this morning in an editorial regarding the resignation of Secretary Alger says: President McKinley's prompt acceptance of Mr. Alger's resignation is equivalent to the admission that the war has been badly managed. It is significant that the resignation of Secretary Alger says: President McKinley's prompt acceptance of the McKinley administration. It has given enemies of the Imperialist policy the most eff

tes."
Daily News had a similar editori-The Daily News had a similar editorial. It says: He may have defied public opinion to the last, but McKinley means to stand for a second term and has to keep on his good behavior with the electorate.

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The papers generally regard the resignation as a prelude to a vigorous policy in the Philippines and the recall of General Otis.

APPEAL DISMISSED.

Privy Council Uphold Supreme Court

Decision in Madden vs. Province. London, July 19 .- The Privy Council has upheld the decision of the Supreme

court of British Columbia and dismissed the appeal in the case of Madden and the Attorney-General of British Colum-bia against the Nelson & Fort Sheppard Railway and the Attorney-General of Canada. All cases of weak or lame back, back-whe, rheumatism, will find relief by wearing one of Carter's Smart Weed and Belladonna Backache Plasters, Price, 25 cents. Try them. CAPE NOME "FAKE."

Passengers by the Portland Confirm th News Brought by the Garonne.

News Brought by the Garonne.

San Francisco, July 19.—The steamer Portland arrived, fourteen days from St. Michael, with 150 passengers and \$1,000,000 on board. Most of the returned people are without means, and about \$500,000 of the gold is owned by a few lucky people, the balance being the property of the Alaska Commercial Company. The miners speak indignantly of the treatment accorded prospectral Company. The miners speak indignantly of the treatment accorded prospectral Company. The miners speak indignantly of the treatment accorded prospectral Company. The miners speak indignantly of the treatment accorded prospectral Company. The miners speak indignantly of the treatment accorded prospectral Company. The miners speak indignantly of the treatment accorded prospectral Company. The miners speak indignantly of the treatment accorded prospectral Company. The miners speak indignantly of the treatment accorded prospectral Company. The miners speak indignantly of the Cape Nome district, at the solicitation of the transportation companies, and that great's suffering prevails in the district. Reports of a similar unture come from the passengers who went as far north as Rampart City. A few rich pockets have been struck, and here and there a few important finds are exported. Many miners who returned on the Fortland spent their last dollar to obtain transportation to this city, and some had to sell their possessions to get enough money to pay transportation. M. Girouard, on the contrary, tion charges.

Statilogs. Rosel.

Strikers Defy · The Police.

Railway Lines in New York.

Attempt of Police to Keep the Streets Clear Was a Failure.

By Associated Press.

New York, July 19 .- If the street railway strikers wanted to make plenty of work for the police, and at the same time get into a district where they could

the patrolmen, he dispersed the mobsomewhat.

About a hundred motormen employed
on the Eight Avenue line held a meeting to-night, and declared a strike in
operation. At 10 o'clock half the cars
were taken off the Eighth Avenue line
without warning, and at 11 all save
eight were taken off, and these were run
on an hourly schedule. The strikers
promised that by 2 they would have all
the men out on the Eighth Avenue line.

WILL LOSE NO TIME.

The Yukon Royalties.

as a government official, and how to say it with the utmost frankness. He is weighted with the report of the adminis-tration of the Yukon that is to be laid by him before the cabinet officials at Ottawa, and on such subjects as are treated therein of course, his lips are sealed. But on gen-Exciting Times On the Street eral information as to the country, well knowing that information from such a source has an authoritative acceptance, he answered all the questions with unaffected

As to royalties, for instance, he said that when he left Dawson the report for the when he left Dawson the report for the month of June had not been completed. But enough of the returns had been made to state that the royaltles for the season would run over \$\$00,000. The total output for the season he estimated at \$20,000,000, and the discrepancy on the royalty as against this total output he explained on the ground that the royalty had been diminishing because it was now only levied on over \$5,000 instead of over \$2,000, and that the output of claims which would thus escape the royalty tax amounted to a large sum. No claim was worked at all unless the was proven rich, because labor and other New York for the police, and at the same interest that the towitty had been in certain to district where they could depend upon public sympathy, they made a wise selection in taking the Second Avenue line for the principal fight of the strike. Several times during the stream of serious importance. The touch of the strike several them to district where the stream of serious importance. The touch of the strike several them to district where the stream of serious importance. The touch of the strike several them to district where the stream of serious importance where the stream of the strike several them to district where the stream of the strike several than the stream of the strike several that the stream of the strike several than the strike structs, and stronged to the strike several than the strike structs, and stronged to the middle of the strict, so that the strike several than the strike structs, and stronged to the middle of the strict, so that the strike structs, and stronged to the middle of the strict, so that the strike structs, and stronged to the middle of the strict, so that the strike structs, and stronged to the strike strike strike structs, and stronged to the strike strike strike structs, and stronged to the strike stri

CHANGEABLE WILLIAM.

Berlin, July 19.-Much surprise is expressed at Emperor William's decision not to attend the opening of the Dort-mond Eme Canal, and not to pay his promised visit to Herr Krupp at Essen The reason for his sudden change of plans is not known, but many rumors

Pretoria, July 10.—The new franchise law comes into operation immediately. The volksrand is sitting in secret session, discussing the proposals for the cancellation of the dynamite monopoly.

HE WANTS A SALARY.

Mayor Prefontaine Would Not Enter the Cabinet Without a Portfolio.

Montreal, July 19.—(Special)—The question of Mr. Geoffrion's successor in the Dominion cabinet has been discussed. The name of Mayor Prefontaine is prominently mentioned in this connection. The difficulty, however, will be that Mr. Prefontaine will not accept a position in the cabinet without a portfolio. Speaking of the matter, Mr. Prefontaine said he did not know what the future would bring, but he distinctly stated that he would not enter the government without a portfolio. Mr. Prefontaine's wish is to be minister of public works, but Mr. Tarte stands in the way. Many believe, however, that Mr. Prefontaine will enter the cabinet at an early date. ed. The name of Mayor Prefontaine is

DOMINION NEWS NOTES.

special to the Colonist.

In Quarantine.

Hahfax, July 19.—The schooner Elma, Capt. Baker, which arrived here this morning from Barbadoes, has a case of smallpox on board, one of the crew having been stricken 32 days ago. The vessel is in quarantine, and the man has been landed at Lawlor's Island.

Salaries Raised.

Toronto, July 19.—The board of control yesterday recommended many increases in civic salaries, the largest being to City Treasurer Cody of \$1,400, making his salary \$4,000.

W. C. Low, of Turtle Hall restaurant, has assigned, with liabilities of \$13,000 and assets \$9,000.

Salaries Raised.

Grant an Increase. Hamilton, July 19.—Gurney, Tilbon & Co., More & Co., and O. Moore & Co. have granted the stove moulders 10 per cent, increase. Other foundries in the city may follow.

Two Ladies Drowned.

Two Ludies Drowned.

Bracebridge, July 10.—Two Toronto ladies, Miss Sill, an invalid, and her nurse, Miss Phillips, who have been resting at Bala, were drowned in Moon river yesterday. They were out in a row boat and ventured too near the mouth of Moon chute. They were caught by the current, which is very strong, and were swept down the chute. The bodies have not yet been recovered.

THE PRAIRIE PROVINCE. Manitoba Secures Control of Some Valu-

Winnipeg, July 19 .- (Special)-Frank Thorp, aged 14, was drowned this after noon at Rat Portage by the upsetting

of a canoe. The residence of W. Rutledge, Portage la Prairie, was destroyed during the parents' absence at a pienie. The

children played with matches. The legislature this afternoon passed the second reading of the bill to ratify the agreement of the Manitoba & Northwestern Railway Company, by which the government takes over half a million acres of land as security for moneys advanced. The Premier announces the policy of selling only to actual settlers. The land is considered worth \$3 an acre, being selected out of a total of two million seven hundred thousand acres, mostly in the province, but partly in the Territories. The Premier expects to have the land on the market next May or June, when having the advantage of settlement around, and being good for settlement, it will be rapidly taken. The opposition mustered 7 votes against the bill, while 24 were in favor. The chief ground of criticism was the late stage of the session. The house will probably take a vacation tomorrow.

Joseph Bordenn aged 17 poeter on the second reading of the bill to ratify

morrow.

Joseph Bordenu, aged 17, porter on the steamer Keenora, was drowned at Little Falls on Rainy river last night, falling from a boat. The body was not recovered.

MAIL CONTRACT LET.

Canadian Letters Will Cross the Atlantic on Freight Steamers.

Montreal, July 19.-The Allan Dominion lines have lost the contract for earrying the Canadian trans-Atlantic mails, which the former has held almos since the fifties, sharing it, however with the Dominion line in recent years The contract has been given to Elder-Dempster line, and they will em Elder-Dempster line, and they will employ in it the twin-screw steamers Montfort, Monterey and Monteagle. These three boats are high-speed freight boats of almost equal speed to the boats which have been carrying the mails. The port of call has also been changed from Moville to Queenstown. It is understood that it is the intention of the Elder-Dempster line to put high-speed boats on the line in the near future.

MYSTERIOUS DISEASE.

Stockholm, July 10.—A mysterious epidemic which has been prevailing recently among the cattle of the island of Gothland has spread to the human beings in the district, and a large number of patients have been admitted to the hospitals. Some of the cases are extremely difficult of diagnosis. Cattle are dying by hundreds throughout the island as a result.



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PERSONAL.

Mrs. C. H. Cox returned last ovening from visit to Chicago.

E. H. Russell has returned from a vacalon trip to the Mainland.

Mrs. M. J. Conlin has left for San Francisco, there be meet her husband, who has last come out of the Klondike, not to re

W. R. Newport, a prominent mining man of Spokane, was an arrival on the Utopia last night. He is looking for substantial investments in British Columbia mining

investments in British Columbia mining properties.
Chief of Police Sheppard is taking his much-needed annual vacation, and will be off duty for the next two weeks. The Chief has not yet decided what he will do to pass away the time.
Robert Jamleson, M. Strouss, Henry Croft, F. Macrac, Thomas Hooper and George C. Mesher were among the business and professional men returning from the Mainland by the Islander last evening.

RAILWAY STRIKERS.

Attempt to Blow Up the Elevated Railroad in Brooklyn.

New York, July 19 .- An attempt was structure at Fifth avenue and Thirty-fifth street, Brooklyn, early this morn-ing. The police say it was the work of ing. The police say it was the work of the strikers or their sympathizers. The situation is the same as yesterday.

Cleveland, Ohio, July 19.—There is little change in the street car strike situation here.

TROUT DUTIABLE.

Washington, July 19.—Assistant Secretary Spaulding has decided that Nova Scotla brook trout should not be classified in the assessment of customs duties as fresh water fish, because being of a migratory character they are dutiable at three quarters of a cent a pound.

TO PROTECT WINDSOR.

New Haven, Conn., July 10.—An order has been received by the National Electric Company of Milford for fifty complete sets of electric bells and firelarm boxes for Windsor eastle. The order came from an English firm, and the competition was brisk among American firms.

THE FRASER.

Quesnelle, June 19.—The river has risen four inches. The weather is cloudy and showery.

Lillooet, July 19.—There has been very little change in the river since morning. The weather is cooler.

WEDNESDAY'S BASEBALL.

At New York-New York, 5; Chicago,

O. At Washington—Washington 7; Cleveland, 2. Second game—Washington, 6; Cleveland, 2. At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 4; Pitts-

ourg, 2.
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Japanese Educationalist on His Way to the Conference a: Rome.

Arol. C. Hozumi, head of the law department of the University of Tokio and the Japanese covernment delegate to the intersational Congress of Orientalists to be did in Rome, commencing in October, was in of Japanese gentlemen who rirded on the Empress of India. The University of Tokio is the largest university in Japan and a government institution. It is divided into six departments, each department containing many buildings. The University of Tokio is the chargest university in Japan and a government institution. It is divided into six departments, each department containing many buildings. The University is in severy way equipped after the manuer of high-chass modern institutions. The Professor gave an interesting description of high-chass modern institutions, who transgress the Japanese laws must be stride before a Japanese Iribunal, a store that Japan cannot be looked upon a harbaric nath Japanese I was made to travel. The same was a land to the strain of the land of popples with a ransom of \$00,000 placed on his head. As the Chinese has a plan in hand to erganize all the land of popples with a ransom of \$00,000 placed on his head. As the Chinese has a plan in hand to erganize all the land of popples with a ransom of \$00,000 placed on his head. As the Chinese has a plan in hand to erganize all the land of popples with a ransom of \$00,000 placed on his head. As the Chinese has a plan in hand to erganize

Joseph Slack, of Ulby, Mich., came down from Dawson on the Ronnoke on her last trip from the North. He has been at the victoria the past four days, purchasing supplies for the winter, and left on the Tees last night. Mr. Slack says the newspaper accounts of the amount of dust brought down by the Roanoke are greatly exaggerated, and that not one-third of the amount claimed was on board that steamer.

eraggerated, and that not one-third of the amount claimed was on board that steamer.

C. A. B. Harris, of Toronto, known all over the United States and Canada as a promoter of amusement enterprises, was one of the passengers on the Islander from Yancouver last night. Mr. Harris is now manager of Godfrey's famous band, which he is arranging to bring here.

Westholme's colony of tillers of the soil will be increased by several numbers when Y. Ransoms are from England, and Mr. Ransom's sons are now engaged there in the pursuit which he will follow at Westholme.

Montague Boyer, Howard V. Sutherland and Lawrence Ward, of Dawson, who have extensive mining interests in the North, are stopping at the Victoria. They are here to purchase supplies for the coming winter.

F. H. Chapman, sub-lieutenant of H.M.S. Warspite, is at the Driard. He arrived from the East yesterday, and will join his ship, which is expected at Esquimalt on Angust 13.

ship, which is expected at Esquinate of August 13.

H. E. Croasdalle, manager of the Hall Mines, Limited, of Nelson, arrived on the Islander last night. He is registered at the Driard.

H. L. Green and B. H. Lien, of Sloux Falls, S. D., are in the city on a business trip. They are registered at the Hotel Victoria.

Victoria,
J. M. Campbell and David McNair, of Vancouver, are registered at the New Eng-

land.
W. H. Brouse, of Toronto, is among those registered at the Driard.
Dr. J. S. Campbell, of Vancouver, is stopping at the Victoria.
J. M. Martin, M.P.P., of Rossland, is

TWELVE PERISHED.

Terrible Ending of a Party Who Went North to Search for Gold.

Seattle, July 19 .- Harold Sturgis, of Chicago, a Roanoke passenger from St. Michael, reports that eleven members of the steame reports that eleven members of the steamer Elk expedition, which sailed for Kotzebne Sound over a year ago, died in that district of scurry. Capt. W. H. Bens, the leader, also fell a victim of the disease, dying sometime later, while in the company of his wife, trying to cross from Kotzebne to the Koyokuk river.

The known dead are: W. H. Bens, James Hutton, Frank Calder, Bay City, Mich.;

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of the Dominion of Canada, at its next session, for an act incorporating a company with power to establish, maintain and operate a line of rallway ferry boats between the port of Victoria, the harbor of Beechy Bay or the harbor of Pedder Bay, in the Province of British Columbia, and the port of Port Angeles, in the State of Washington, United States, with power to convey cars, passengers and freight between either or ail of said ports or harbors, and connect with one or more lines of rallway at the said port of Port Angeles, and with power to construct, maintain and operate a line of railway twees said Pedder Bay or Beechy Bay and Langford Station, on the line of the Esquimal and Nanaimo Railway, and to construct, maintain and operate a line of railway from said Langford Station, or some point contiguous thereto, to and along the West Coast of Vancouver Island, and to build Wharves and telephonic and railway and the extension or branch lines thereof, and to expropriate and concessions from individuals, governments and mulcipalities, with power to make traffic and other arrangements with other railway or steamship companies, and all other powers which may be conductive to the attainment of the above objects or any of them.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., the 14th day of July, 1899, The known dead are: W. H. Bens, James Hutton, Frank Calder, Bay City, Mich.; Capt. Charles Smith, Frank Johnson, Port Hadlock, Wash.; Joe Reinhart, Milwaukee: John Stonchouse, Whidby Island, Wash.; Earl Plummer, Port Townsend, Wash.; Duncan McCull, Chicago, fil.; Dr. Vetter, Stratton, Pa.; Peter Johnson, an Enknown sallor.

The story of the death of this party was still to the story of the death of this party was told to Harold Sturgis by Mrs. Bens, who was brought in from Nulato the day before the Ronnoke left. Mrs. Bens escaped death on the trail, but is in danger of dying from

on the trail, but is in danger of dying from scury.

Capt. Bens was an old lake skipper and came West a year ago to build a steamer for Alaska. He built a staunch vessel called the Elk No. 1, and gathered up a party of seventeen, including the crew. The Elk was to have gone into the Arctic ocean and up the Mack nale river, but maily brought up in Kotzebue Sound. A party of thirteen landed and started to reported gold diggings on the Selawic viver. They found no gold, but heard of rich strikes on the Koyokuk, 300 miles distant.

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Registrat-General,

Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., 4th July, 1899.

The Ashcroft Journal, discussing the prospects of Quesnelle, says: "Omineca, being north from Quesnelle, all or nearly all of the supplies for that section are taken through over a good pack trail via Stuart's lake to Omineca. The people petitioned earnestly and unitedly for a wagon road, but were informed there was no money. They are now asking how about the \$1,000,000 for the Pacific cable. These matters will not be forgotten, so say the Quesnelle people, and so, in fact, says all of Cariboo, when another election comes to hand." "Hour Angles Without Logarithms."

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The Colonist has on several occasion during the last year expressed the opin-ion that responsible government was in danger of becoming a lost institution in British Columbia, and recent events con firm this view. According to the theory and practice of this system, when Mr. Semlin asked Mr. Martin to resign the office of Attorney-General, the request ought to have been at once complied with. Does any one suppose that if Lord Salisbury should ask Mr. Chamberlain for his resignation, or Sir Wilfrid Laurier should ask Mr. Sifton to resign, either of those gentlemen would hesitate a mo-ment in complying? If they should refuse, would not Lord Salisbury, in the one case, and Sir Wifrid, in the other, stand discredited before the people as a leader? We do not say that a request by a Fremier for the resignation of a member of his cabinet legally terminates the latter's tenure of office. Only the actual dismissal by the crown or its representative can do this, but where the principles of responsible government obtain such a demand from the Premier is regarded as equivalent to a dismissal, for as the crown or its representative can act only on the advice of its ministers, it may be assumed that such a request will be followed by dismissal, if necessary. But Mr. Martin defies He claims the right to continue to sit at the council board with jority of the people, while conceding that a change of government is called for in the public interest, do not seem to see

conducted. Let one incident of the situation be considered by itself. Mr. Martin made a charge against Mr. Cotton of an extremely serious nature. He made it first to the Premier, and next through the public press. Although this charge has been before the public for several weeks, it has not been denied. We feel bound the gravest public interest. Yet it is alremain uncontradicted, as meet Mr. Martin's statement with a de- dist and another a Presbyterian. cleared up, not so much on Mr. Cotton's and have now a coalition government, account, for if there is no truth in it he we do not see the force of the arguments can afford, personally, perhaps, to ignore it, but in the interest of public opinion, which will be distinctly lowered if such allegations can be made by one member of a government against another mem ber, and be allowed to remain uncha lenged. Does any man suppose that if Mr. Chamberlain were charged by a colleague with a deliberate falsification of the records of the cabinet he would re- know it is not regarded in London as main for even a day under the charge a very brilliant financial transaction without denying it and punishing his accuser as he deserved? We refer to namely that the government did not this to show how very dull public appre- attempt to carry out its threatened ciation seems to be of the responsibility policy of altering the plan of floating our of ministers to the people.

of how far we are drifting away from they condemned. Our information is the principles of responsible govern- that if the loan had been promptly placed ment. We have not denied, and do not on the market in April it would have

now deny, the constitutional right of the Lieutenant-Governor to take the duty upon himself of reversing the policy of his ministers, on condition, of course that he shall find some other minister to take the responsibility of his action. The extraordinary thing about it is that only a very few people appear to under stand that he has made the tenure of the Premiership by Mr. Semlin impossible, if we have responsible government. Let us test this by an illustration. Suppose that the Governor-General should set out on a tour to Klondike, and on passing through Victoria should go be fore the Board of Trade and declare that the object of his journey was to ascer tain for himself what ought to be done to prevent a recurrence of the conditions which formed the basis of the Yukor charges. He would have a perfect right to do so, if he thought the emergency justified it. But if he did, does any one suppose that the Laurier ministry would hold office for an hour, or that public opinion would permit them to do so Yet what has occurred at Bennett is on all fours with the supposed case. If Mr. Semlin does not meet the Lieutenant-Governor on his return with a ten der of his resignation, he will display an utter disregard of the elementary principles of responsible government.

These considerations are of prime im portance. Compared to them, the vagaries of a minister, who may imagine that he has been shipped "somewhere east of Suez" are of minor importance They are only temporary in their effects, but if we allow the principles of responsible government to be lost sight of, the province is altogether at sea, and we will wake up some fine morning to find a personal government installed. The danger is not merely theoretical, for the Constitution Act does not secure responsible government to the province. There is not a line in it to prevent a Lieutenant-Governor from surrounding himself with a ministry, not one of whom has a seat in the legislature, or could be elected to one. No such a condition is at present likely, but if one principle after another is disregarded, no one can tell what may come. So far as the Lieutenant-Governor's action at Bennett is concerned, he would have no difficulty in finding a ministry to ac cept the fullest responsibility for it. He voiced public sentiment, to which his present advisers have been running counter ever since they were placed in

NOT A COALITION.

The Vancouver World speaks of the governments of British Columbia and New Brunswick as coalitions. The description is not correct. A coalition occurs when the representatives of opposing parties meet and determine to unite to form a government. This has not been done either in the Eastern province or here. The World, a staunch Liberal paper, supported Mr. Turner who was a Conservative, and opposed Mr. Macpherson in Vancouver, although the latter is a Liberal. Mr. Booth, Liberal, found no difficulty in supporting Mr. Turner, nor Mr. Cotton, a Conservative, in opposing him. The World did not support Mr. Turner because his government was a coalition, for it tells us now that it was really a Conservative government. If we have a coalition government to-day, why has the World opposed it, while its fellow Liberal worker, the Province, has supported it? Why if it is a coalition have not both the News-Advertiser and the Colonist. men, one of whom has accused him of complete incomplete complete incapacity, and another of whom he has charged publicly with a one coalition government in Canada since whom he has charged publicly with a grave offence. And the amazing thing Confederation. Sir John Macdonald's about the matter is that the great matained old-time Conservatives and old-time Liberals, and the result of the coalition was the "Liberal-Conservative" how inconsistent the whole thing is with party, which term some people imagine the principles upon which the government of the country is supposed to be principles, when in point of fact it was simply descriptive of a coalition. This coalition was formed for the express purpose of giving effect to the Confederation scheme, and if there is anything to be learned from it, the lesson is that in emergencies coalitions may be excellent things. There never was a coalition in New Brunswick local politics between Conservatives and Liberals, for the simto say that we do not believe there is a word of truth in the charge. But this been divided on those lines since Conis not the point. It has been publicly federation. The same remark holds true made by one sworn minister of the of British Columbia. If Mr. Semlin crown against another sworn minister of the crown, and it relates to a matter of the crown, and it relates to a matter of the crown, and it relates to a matter of the crown against another sworn minister of the crown, and it relates to a matter of the crown, and it relates to a matter of the crown against another sworn minister of the crown, and it relates to a matter of the crown, and it relates to a matter of the crown against another sworn minister of the crown against another sworn minister of the crown, and it relates to a matter of the crown against another sworn minister of the crown against another sworn minister of the crown against another sworn minister of the crown against a constant of the crown against form a government, that would be a coalition; but if a new government should be formed, composed of men though the falsification of public records were a mere incident of politics. We coalition, any more than it would be a have delayed making any comments on this matter, in the hope that either Mr. religious coalition, if one of the members Cotton or some one in his behalf would of the cabinet happened to be a Methonial. There has been no denial. Yet such a charge, publicly made, must be cleared any and another a Presbyterian. As we are unable to agree with the World that we have had in British Columbia

THE PROVINCIAL LOAN.

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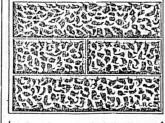
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Don't wait until you are totally blind bont wait until you are totally blind before having your eyes examined, but have them attended to while it is yet possible to effect a complete cure. Consult Processor Harvey, F. O. M. O. J., at Fawcett's drug store, 49 Government street, until July 22.

Boots and Shoes Slaughtered.—The balance of the stock is now all opened and must be cleared out in two days. This stock was bought from the underwriters ex steamship Danube, 'at a very low figure, and is being sold at prices half of manufacturers' cost. For sale corner of Yates and Douglas streets. *

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voyagers encounter no worse luck be-tore their journey is over, they will be

Committed for Trial.—Continued from time to time, the case against James Armour, was finally ended in the provincial police court yesterday by the action being sent up for trial by Magistrate Hall.

New Outfits.—Lieut.-Col. Gregory, commanding the First battalion, has issued the following order: "Officers commanding companies will issue at once the new frocks, trousers and forage caps, in order that the same may be fitted and ready to be taken into wear at a moment's notice."

Visiting Angels.—The steamer Garland on her trip from the city ncross the Straits to-day will have as passengers President Cushing and Manuger Atkinson, of the Port Angeles Eastern railway. Their business in Victoria is a conference with the sub-committee having in hand the question of ferry connections with the Mainland.

Kicked by a Horse.—Manager Harris of the English-Canadian Company, owners of the "Three W.'s" and a number of other promising properties on Granite creek, had the misfortune a few days ago to receive a bad kick from a fractious horse, the injury necessitating a lay-up. Mr. Harris is now at Alberni, making rapid progress towards complete recovery from his injury, although the damaged leg will be stiff for many weeks to come.

Cooper Harrold a Pro.—British Columbia bicycle clubs will be interested in knowing that Cooper Harrold of Seattle is no longer entitled to rank with the "simon pures," and his entry cannot be received for amateur events. Chief Consul E. G. Dorr of Tacoma has given a ruling under date of June 1, stating that Harrold was at that date a professional, not having been granted re-instatement, although he had filed application in the usual order. Harrold rode here as an amateur on the 27th of May last, under protest, but found the Victoria boys—Penwill and Thomson—too many for him in the racing. Cooper Harrold a Pro.-British Colum

Wreck Bay Gold.—An assay of a chance sample of Wreck bay beach sand, carrying flake or flour gold, has just been made by a reliable Victoria specialist, with a result of, \$6.85 to the ton being shown. At this figure there would undoubtedly be a fortune in working the deposits by scientific methods, if the assurance were obtained of their extent justifying the investment necessary to provide a plant. Prospecting the cliff to see how far in the deposits are found will probably be the next step taken by the interested residents of Ucluelet. In the meanwhile, there are no "five rockers working on the beach," no "five rockers working on the beach," as given out by Mr. James Ferguson

Music and Country Air.—The agree Music and Country Air.—The agree-able combination of good music, country air and the picturesque beauties of Gold-stream begniled a few hundred Victor-ians from the city last evening, the ex-cursion train on the E. & N. bing just comfortably filled, and the programme presented by the musicians of the Fifth,

Intentions of Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann Respecting Their Properties.

Properties.

An Ottawa despatch says: "Speaking of the report published that Mackenzie & Mann are preparing to make a flotation of all or a large part of their British Columbin mines in one company, either on the Montreal or London markets, D. D. Mann said that this was not strictly correct. He said that a certain portion of their mines will be floated, but it has not been decided on which market, nor will be mines be floated in a block, as stated. The North Star group at Fort Steele will be floated as a separate group and bonded at \$1,500,000, and together with the Boundary properties will make the combined total capitalization of the different companies \$6,500,000, and not \$10,000,000 for one company, as stated in the despatch. The decision to float the properties is of a recent date, and the details of the scheme have yet to be worked out." CENTRAL DRUG STORE

McGill Exams.—A. R. Robertson and J. W. B. Hanington, two Victoria boys, have passed the McGill University ex-aminations with honors.

Tax Sale Confirmed.—The city treasurer has received notice that Mr. Justice Walken has confirmed the last annual tax sale of the city, held in January. Parties who bought property at this sale can get a clear title within one year from June 17, providing the property is not redeemed by the owners in the meantime.

A New Mission Hall.—This afternoon's meeting of the local W. C. T. U. promises to be more than ordinarily interesting, by reason of the fact that business of importance with reference to the new mission hall will then be disposed of. It is in consequence of the importance of this business that the officers of the Union request a specially representative attendance.

Orow's Nest Coal.—During the month of June 10,000 tons of coal and 2,000 tons of coke were shipped from Fernie by the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company. Two mines on Coal creek near Fernie are being worked and 400 men employed. This company expect to ship 1,000 tons a day by 'December. Another mine is being opened at Michel. In three months 400 coke ovens will be in operation.

Meets This Evening.—The managing committee of the J.B.A.A. meets this evening at 8:30 to receive reports and further advance preparations for the Autumn field day, at which record-breaking will be the rule, not the exception. The Bays have decided not to send a representative crew to the Astoria regatta, as the strong oursmen cannot conveniently forsake their business interests for the requisite length of time.

Delayed Salvationists.—Through a change in orders, it will be impossible for Col. Jacobs and Brigadier Howell to reach here in time for the services arranged for them in this city to-morrow evening. Instead, Col. Jacobs will speak at the street and barracks services of Saturday, the Brigadier also participating in the exercises. Both are described as earnest and effective speakers, as well as energetic workers in the army plan.

The Building Boom—There are more buildings being erected in Victoria this year than at any time for several years. Notwithstanding the boasts made by other cities where houses and buildings are in course of erection, the people of this city are going at the matter without a flourish of trumpets or other ostentations usual to such proceedings. Twelve new business blocks and twice as many dwellings will be completed and ready for occupancy before the end of it the month, all of which goes to show that Victoria is steadily growing and increasing in population.

Must Look Further—The courses.

increasing in population.

Must Look Further.—The congregation of Calvary Baptist church, like their brethren of Emmanuel, appear destined to have a long and trying experience in the securing of a permanent pastor to succeed Rev. Ralph W. Trotter. They had taken it as decided that their call would be accepted by Rev. J. A. Gordon, of St. John, N. B., who sent a provisional acceptance. This is not to be, however, for Rev. Mr. Gordon has compromised as to the distance of his migration, and will succeed Rev. Donald Grant in the pastorate of the First Baptist church of Montreal. A meeting of the managers of Calvary church to consider the situation now facing them, will be held in a few days.

Police Court Grist A generation legist

Valuable City Properties For Sale

Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, part of Block 23, Spring Ridge, at the head of Pandora street. These lots are high, and command a very good view. These four lots together would make a very fine building site.

Elighteen lots, situate on Cook, Southgate and Pendergast streets. These lots are for sale cheap.

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The very valued freehold site and business premises, situate on the northwest corner of Government and Fort streets. The property has a frontage of 50 feet or thereabouts on Government street by 110 feet or thereabouts on Fort street, part of the frontage on Fort street having a dep hot 72 feet. The buildings on the property now consist of a two-story brick block, at present let to high-class tenants. The site is worthy of a better class of building and would be an abmirable one for a bank or other large business premises.

Lot 1647, fronting on Wharf street and the harbor, together with the brick buildings thereon, and the wharf and warehouse. All let to first-class tenants.

Lot 12, Block 77, at the corner of Bas on Square and Wharf street, together with a large two-story brick building, at present rented to good tenants. This property also includes the warehouse adjoining the lane next to the Board of Trade building.

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Mrs. Rosman's Funeral.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Rosman, wife of E. J. Rosman, of Salt Spring Island, took place on the 12th instant. the services being conducted by Rev. E. F. Willson, and the following gentlemen acting as pall-bearers: J. P. Booth, M. P. P., H. Sampson. W. Hampton, J. Chivers, P. Purvis and L. Lakin. The attendance of sympathizing friends and the floral messages of condolence and regret were particularly numerous.

Garden Fete.—On Tuesday next a garden fete will be held in the grounds of the Young Women's Christian Association, 32 Rae street, commencing at 2:30 and continuing until 10 p. m. Entertainment of various kinds will be provided, and musical programme is being arranged. Mrs. R. Jones having kindly consented to be responsible for the afternoon selections. Tea, ice cream and home-made candy will be served from 3 p. m. Any members of the Y. W. C. A. wishing to contribute cakes of candy are asked to communicate with Mrs. McMicking, and to bring their contributions to the rooms on Tuesday morning. A pleasant surprise awaits those who have not visited the rooms lately. It is hoped that a large number will come on Tuesday, and help to make the gathering a success. help to make the gathering a success.

No Gold at Cape Nome.—A. E. Macready, one of a party of ten Colorado miners, who joined in the rush from Dawson to Cape Nome, and who was a passenger to arrive on the Laurada, thus describes the alleged new gold field: "When we reached St. Michael we decided to send one of our party to Cape Nome, to investigate that country before going in. The man we sent was an experienced miner, who had been two years in Alaska, and knew the country thoroughly. Besides that, he was an old Colorado miner. When he came back he told us that absolutely no gold was being taken out, all statements to the contrary notwithstanding. He says that men who have claims have squatted down on them and are doing nothing. If a rich man comes along, and wants to test the richness of the claim, they refuse to let him do so, our man said, unless he is positively a prospective purchaser. It is my opinion that Cape Nome is a fake." No Gold at Cape Nome .- A. E. Mac

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The Dirigo Called Early.

Steamer Brings News of Serious Accident to the Ridcouts.

Coast.

Steamer Dirigo came in from the North at 5 o'clock yesterday morning, and sailed for the Sound an hour later leaving behind her twelve passengers. Three of these were Sisters of St. Anne: the others were C. Mitchell, W. C. Clark, F. Kinschmidt, John Dunsmuir, A. Robertson, James Dodds, R. Mercis, W. Jordan and F. C. Wassen. As stated in a Colonist despatch from Nanaimo, the steamer had about a quarter of a million in gold dust, several of the 75 passengers aboard being quite wealthy. News was brought by the Dirigo that the steamer Rideout met with a disastrous accident in going to and from the White Horse rapids. When passing through the Five Fingers rapids she was swung into what is known as the Middle channel by the rush of water, and carried hard against the rocks. Her guards in places were completely demolished, and her gunwhales badly torn, but she escaped further injury until Thirty Mile was reached. Here she struck the stern of the submerged steamer Domville, which has remained a menace to navigation in the river ever since being wrecked—and was held fast for some time.

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The steamer Willapa on her sailing for the West Coast this evening will carry three several small parties bound for Wreck Bay, each party being convinced that they have just the one and only proper appliances for treating the black sand gold deposits. The steamer makes the long trip this time, going as far north as New Norway and including also a call at Bear River, which has recently been added to the ports of call. Bear river discharges into the salt water about 12 miles above Clayoquot, and this stretch has heretofore been covered with canoe. The Bear river district is rapidly coming to the front as rich in rapidly coming to the front as rich in copper-gold leages.

BECOME A LANDMARK.

The stern-wheel steamer Florence, which for many years served the navy as water-boat at Esquimalt, fell upon evil days as soon as she changed her occupation and her field of usefulness. She was taken to Alberni for service on the canal and Somass river, and speedily met with accident after accident. She has now become a landmark, on the shore at Alberni town, in a bend of the river almost opposite Saunders' store. It is said that she is broken in three directions, and will remain where she is until her dissolution is accomplished.

NEW STONE BEACONS.

The Quadra left yesterday with men and material for the construction of stone beacons on Shuit rock and Whatcom reef, Trincum channel. The beacon on Shuit rock will be 16 feet high con on Shuit rock will be 16 feet high and 16 feet wide at the base, while that on Whatcom reef will be 12 feet high and 10 feet wide at the base. Each will be surmounted with a ball and staff, and they will be most of service to shipping for and from Oyster Eay. Mr. Owens, who will superintend the work on the beacons, will leave for Oyster Bay to-morrow.

MARINE NOTES.

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The C. P. R. steamship Empress of Japan left Hongkong yesterday, en route to Victoria.

The steamship Port Albert is now about due to arrive from Honolulu. She is coming to be overnauled in dock.

The little steamer Oriole, which tends on the Carlisle cannery, Lumby Island, was in yesterday, with Mr. Friend, the cannery manager, as a passenger. Mr.

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 Str. Fingal from Vancouver.
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- Str. Islander for Vancouver. Str. Utopia for Port Townsend. Str. Clayoquot for Nanaimo. Str. Dirigo for Port Townsend.

Berlin, July 19 .- The elections for the Bayarian chamber have proved a great chararian champer have proved a great elerical triumph. The elericals gained seats and the Liberals lost 22, owing to the compromise effected between the Clericals and the Socialists at the expense of the Liberals. The Clericals now have an absolute majority in the chamber.

BAVARIAN ELECTIONS

EDUCATIONALIST DEAD.

Rome, July 19.—Signor Scostantini, under secretary of public instruction, died to-day of heart disease.

NO SESSION.

Paris, July 19.—The Venezuelan arbitration commission did not meet to-day, but will meet on Friday.

BABIES TORTURED

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THE LOCAL NEWS.

Social at Harmony Hall.—A very en-ioyable social and dance was given in flarmony hall last evening, in aid of the vidows needing assistance in the city.

Charged With Till-Tapping.—Ernest Everett Crow is a name appearing on the police station blotter under the date of last evening, and with the particular-New Ports of Call Springing Up
All Along the West

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Note The Interest of the Four-Mile House. Crow was arrested by Provincial Constable Dan Campbell as he was boarding the Utopia for the Sound.

Utopia for the Sound.

Utopia Late.—The steamer Utopia did not arrive here till 9 o'clock last night, the lateness being caused by an extra large cargo of freight brought here, consisting of over 150 tons of merchandise. As the steamer was leaving Seattle one of the passengers was left, and as his wife and child were on the boat, he secured the services of a tug, for which he paid \$50, to take him to the steamer. The Utopia left here at 11 o'clock for the Sound.

Kennel Show.—The Victoria Kennel Club have received official sanction from the Canadian Kennel Club to hold their annual show on September 28, 29 and 30. A request has been sent to Mr. H. T. Payne, editor of Field Sports, San Francisco, to act as judge at the show, and a reply has been received, accepting the position. The prospect for a good show was never better in Victoria than at present, and the event is expected to prove an unprecedented success.

Foresters Entertain .- Court Northern Light. A. O. F., gave an enjoyable dance and ice cream social in the K. of P. Hall on Broad street last night, with an attendance of about 80 couples. This

dance and ice cream social in the K. of P. Hall on Broad street last night, with an attendance of about 80 couples. This is the first of a series that will be given during the summer months. The young folks danced till an early hour this morning, while the older generation were entertained with a conversazione and ate ice cream. The committee who had the affair in charge is composed of Messrs. Oliver, McLeod, Thomas Smith and G. F. Hanft. The next social will be given in about four weeks.

Remains a Mystery.—No word has yet been received that will throw light on the disappearance of Augustin Stuhr, the German who left here on August 11 in a small fishing sloop bound for Seattle, but the police think he will turn up all right. On previous trips to the Sound Stuhr has been away as long as two months and nothing was said of the matter, and there should be no cause for anxiety as to his safety. The sloop found near Beacon Hill park the other day is not the one Stuhr sailed in, but another boat which has been in that vicinity for several weeks.

A Literary Evening.—The literary de-

vicinity for several weeks.

A Literary Evening.—The literary department of the Metropolitan Methodist Intermediate Epworth League was responsible for a well-attended and successful meeting last evening. Miss Simpson occupied the chair, and Hinkson Siddall edliciently filled the responsible position of critic. The programme consisted of an essay on the "Transvaal Trouble," by Miss E. Herbert: a paper on the "Americans in the Philippines," by J. Ray; a paper on "The Peace Conference," by W. Barker, and a resume of the Dreyfus, case by Miss L. Simpson. The literature of the society has been enriched by a newspaper, the Intermedical League Topics being presented and read for the first time before the members by the ex-president.

After Many Days.—R. H. Jameson.

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After Many Days.—R. H. Jameson, the Fort street grocer, yesterday recovered a horse he lost last spring, while some boys had him, camping near Sooke river. The horse broke the rope with which he was tied, and since that time nothing was heard or seen of him until yesterday, when a boy named Johnson, residing on the Gorge road, was seen riding him on Government street. The animal was recognized by his owners as soon as seen, and when the rider was told to deliver the goods he refused to do so, stating that he had bought the horse from a man several years ago. The assistance of the provincial police was secured, and the boy was compelled to walk home. Mr. Jameson's brother taught the horse tricks before the animal was lost, and to prove that he was the owners the heavy the provincial the provincial that he was the owners the heavy the provincial that he was the owners the heavy the serve the animal was provinced to the provincial that the serve the animal was the owners that he was the owners the province that the province that he was the owners the province that the was the owners the province that the province the province that the province that the province that the province the province that the province that the province the province that the province that the province the province the province that the province the province that the province the province that the province that the province that the province that the province the province the province that the province was lost, and to prove that he was the owner, put the horse through the men-agerje, with the police as audience. They were thoroughly satisfied.

was in yesterday, with Mr. Friend, the cannery manager, as a passenger. Mr. Friend reports a big run of fish, and says that the cannery is running almost at its full capacity.

On Monday the steamer City of Nanaimo will be taken on the Victoria marine slip for a second overhauling. She will be followed on the ways by the Joan, which, when last being hauled out of the water, lost her propeller.

The Great Match at Last.—After the greater part of a season's growling and grumbling, the Westminster lacrossists with leave the state of the part of a season's growling and grumbling, the Westminster lacrossists, with the boys in blue for the first time at Caledonia park on Saturday afternoon rext. Victorians do not have to be told of the importance of this engagement. A game with Vancouver—or Nanaimo. The Fraser river stick-handlers are next to the Bays—the strongest in combination, hardest training, cleverest stick-handlers and fastest runners in the davantage of being a practically unknown quantity to Victoria this year, having considerably changed their team and improved it in the weak spots. Withdrever team spheres the victory in the canner of the state of the part of a season's growling and grumbling, the Westminster lacrossists, and early victoria a visit and cross sticks with the boys in blue for the first time at Caledonia park on Saturday afternoon rext. Victorians do not have to be told of the importance of this engagement. A grame with Vancouver—or Nanaimo. The Fraser river stick-handlers are next to the Bays—the strongest in combination, hardest training, cleverest stick-handlers and fastest runners in the advantage of being a practically unknown quantity to Victoria this year, having considerably changed their team and improved it in the weak spots. and improved it in the weak spots. Whichever team achieves the victory in Whichever team achieves the victory in Saturday's match will have the knowledge that they have been in a gameand whatever hundreds go out to see the match will get their money's worth. In preparation for the battle with the giants, the home team is religiously practising every evening.

The Umatilla's Suicide.—J. W. Hunter, the melancholy passenger in the second cabin, who committed suicide by the wasting diseases which drain their system and new vigor, be jumping from the deck of the Umatilla during her voyage from San Francisco to this city, was a well-known and fairly well-to-do resident of Sumas, Wash, who had been engaged in backwoods contracts in California for some months past, but owned considerable property in Asokin county, Washington. Myster envelops the case, for not only was Hunter in the best of spirits when the voyage commenced, but all who were brought into contact with him noted the change that suddenly came over him, resulting finally in self-destruction. Papers left in his value would indicate that Hunter was to have been married three weeks hence to a young lady resident of Livermore-and also that he felt the very consider to a young lady resident of Livermore-and also that he felt the very considers the staken to be a girl not yet out of her 'teens. Her affectionate letters to her suicide lover bear only the given name, Jessie, and indicate that she was visiting relatives or friends at Niles, Gut.

The people of New Denver are to the effect that the government's action in dismissing Gold Commissioner Alex.

MR. SPROAT'S DISMISSAL.

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four men, picked these up, but could find nothing of the missing man or his body. The Umatilla anchored for up-wards of an hour, while thorough search was made, but Hunter was never seen after he made the death leap.

Jap in Gaol.—A native of the land of the Mikado was brought to the city gaol by a provincial policeman last night. They arrived on the Islander from the Fraser river canneries. The Jap is charged with intimidation.

Criminals to Capture,-Chief of Police Crimmais to Capture.—Chief of Police Sheppard and his force are on the look-out for Daniel Goughlin and William Armstrong, who are wanted in Chicago, Ill., for jury-bribing. The men are supposed to be in this locality, and as the police have a good description of them it is thought they will soon be in limbo.

Lost Their Baggage.—The baggage and a couple of tents of two ex-United States soldiers who are going out on the next trip of the Amur were stolen from next trip of the Amur were stolen from the customs warebonse at the outer wharf a couple of days ago, and the matter was reported to the police yesterday afternoon for investigation. As everything owned by the soldiers was in the lot, they cannot go North as expected until their baggage is recovered. City Detective Perdue thinks the stuff was put on board the Umatilla by mistake when she was in port last, and is now in Seattle.

The Rathom Puzzle.—Mrs. Deveule and her daughter, Mrs. John R. Rathom, are expected to reach Victoria on the next direct steamer from San Francisco, and the friends of both are anxiously waiting for them. They say that Mrs. Deveule had no knowledge of the circumstances surrounding the Rathom-Campbell mystery, which is now bothering the police of San Francisco. Mrs. Rathom, they consider, has been greatly maligned, it being their firm conviction that Miss Campbell was the principal actor in the case, having, on finding that Rathom had confessed his indiscreetness and been re-unified with his wife, resorted to the poisoned-candy scheme for the purpose of creating a sensation and driving the wife out of the country.

More Work for Firemen.—Twelve horses and twenty-three men at No. 1 fire station now go through the usual drill of harnessing the fire apparatus three times a day, instead of once a day, as has been the case in the past. Twelve o'clock, noon, 4:30 p. m., and 9 p. m. are the hours when the men and horses can be seen in a hurrying mood. The new order went into force yesterday so as to get the horses in better condition. A new instrument called an electric drop, which releases all the horses and awakens all the men when an alarm is turned in has been placed in position at the hall by City Electrician Hutchison. The instrument is of recent invention, and is one of the first to be used on the Pacific coast. Chief Deasy desires all interested people, and especially ladies, to call at the engine house at drill time to see how well the horses are trained. The new fire hall on Yates street was again occupied yesterday afternoon by the chemical engine and a detachment of men from headquarters, caused by the water being turned off in that part of town.

Palpitation of the heart, nervousness, trembilings, nervous headache, cold hands and feet, pain in the buck, and other forms of weakness are relieved by Carter's Iron Pills, made specially for the blood, nerves and complexion.

SURGERY'S SEARCHLIGHT.

From the Chicago Tribune.

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A great deal of Interest has of late years been tuken in medical and surgleal subjects by laymen, and this is not surprising, since the advances and discoveries that have been made are such as to command attention because of their novelty and startling character. Surgery, it is true, has always been more or less of an exact science, and even in ancient times very serious operations were successfully undertaken which are nowadays often considered modern. But in the light of revelations regarding the germ theory of discase, antiseptic treatment of wounds, preservative surgery, electricity in medicine, organic extracts and their administration as remedies for various diseases, it is not strange that people are constantly on the watch for some discovery even more brilliant and startling than anything that has hitherto been proclaimed.

Wonderful are the strides which have

WOMAN'S TROUBLES

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To Provide for the Erection of a Steel Steel and Stone Structure Free of Cost to the Corporation in Place of the Present James Bay bridge, and for the Reclamation of James Bay Flats.

Whereas it is expedient and necessary that the bridge at present crossing that portion of Victoria Harbor known as James Bay be replaced with a substantial steel or steel and stone structure;

And whereas it is also expedient necessary, in the interests of the cita and for the preservation of the pulsarith, that the land partly covered water, and known as the James Bay il be reclaimed;

And whereas for the purposes hereinafter mentioned it is necessary that the Corporation of the City of Victoria should acquire and for that purpose should expropriate the and for that purpose should expropriate the whole of the land and buildings situate on the south side of Humboldt street, and extending from the east side of James Bay bridge up to but exclusive of the Reformed Episcopal church;

And whereas it has been ascertained, and now appears, that the Municipal Council, by the granting of a lease for fifty years upon the terms hereinafter set forth of the said James Bay flats, and of the lands and premises hereinafter secondly described, enn secure the erection of the said new bridge across James Bay, nforesaid, and the effectual reclamation of the said James Bay flats without cost to the Corporation;

And whereas such an arrangement would be beneficial to the Corporation;

Therefore the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts

Sec. 1. The Mayor and Clerk of the Corporation are hereby authorized to enter into an agreement with any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be in a position and willing to carry out their terms thereof for granting a lease of, firstly, all that tract or parcel of land partly covered by water, situate within the limits of the Corporation, called or commonly known as the James Bay flats, up to the northerly line of Belleville street; and, secondly, all the land and buildings situate, lying and being on the south side of Humboldt street and extending from the said James Bay bridge to, but not including, the Reformed Episcopal church, and known as city lots 171, 215, 214, 213, 212, 211, 210, 209, 228, 207, 206 and 205, in block 25, and lot 1627, block III of Christ Church trust, and more particularly shown on the official map of the said city, for any period which the Corporation may at the time of entering into such agreement by law be enabled to grant, not exceeding, however, the space of fifty years, upon the terms and conditions and for the considerations following—that is to say:

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(1.) The lessee or lessees shall within one month after the execution of the said least commence and diligently continue to fill in with suitable material, to a height four feel above high water mark the whole of the land now known as James Bay flats, and hereinbefore firstly described:

(2.) The lessee or lessees shall forthwith, on the execution of the said lease, pay to the Corporation the whole of the costs to which the Corporation shall be put for purchase monles and expenses consequent upon and for the purchase and expension of the land hereinbefore secondly described:

the land hereinbefore secondly described:

(3.) The lessee or lessees shall forthwith, on the execution of the said lease proceed to and shall with proper diligence prosecute the work of pulling down and removing the present James in bridge, and shall build on the site on which the present bridge stands a handsome stee the present bridge stands a handsome stee the present bridge stands a handsome stee the present bridge with Government steet on solid buttresses of masonry or steet cymders, filled with concrete, fitted with langer lighting the said bridge by electricity, such pridge to be in accordance with plans and specifications to be approved of my time the filled and permanent engineer for the time being of the Corporation before the execution of the said lease;

(4.) The lessee or lessees shall pay during the term of fifty years, for which the said lease shall be granted, an annual pepper-corn rent, and the lease shall continue as a term thereof the exemption of the whole of the property included in such lease from the payment of all Municipal taxes, except ilcenses, during the continuance of the term thereby created;

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(7.) As soon as the new bridge shall be completed and handed over to the Corporation, the same shall be maintained and kept in good repair and condition and well lighted by the Corporation, who shall thereupon become the owners of the same without any payment or liability to the lessee or lessees or any person claiming under him or them for the construction thereof:

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(8.) The lessee or lesseer shall enter into a covenant to keep open the said pleasure ground, and keep the said ground and buildings in good repair and condition during the term of the said lease, and that in the event of the said pleasure ground being closed for a period of eighteen months, or in case of the breach by the lessee or lessees of any of the covenants contained in the said lease, the Corporation shall, results, any compensation to the lessee or lessees the compensation to the lessee or lessees and enjoy the same, and the said lease shall thereupon be at an end.

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Sec. 2. This by-law is made subject to the necessary powers being granted by the Legislature of the Province of British Columbia by an act of the said Legislature authorizing and empowering the Corporation to enter into and execute the said lease.

Sec. 3. This by-law shall before the fina passing thereof receive the assent of the electors of the Municipality in manner prescribed by the "Municipal Clauses Act," and amending acts.

Sec. 4. This by-law may be cited as the "James Bay Bridge and Flats Reclamation By-Law, 1899." Passed the Municipal Council the 17th day of July, 1809.

TAKE NOTICE

that the aboys is a true copy of the proposed by-law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken at the Public Market Building, Cormorant street, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of August, 1899; that the poll will be kept open between the

hours of 8 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. and that W. W. Northcott has been ap-pointed the Returning Officer to take the said vote.

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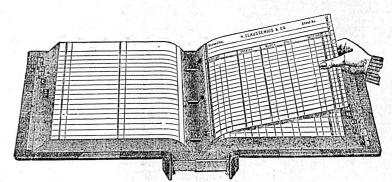
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What Was Done in Former Years

Some Hydraulic Claims That

News of Other Mines in Various Sections of the Province.

From the Ashcroft Journal. Lightning creek and its marvellou golden output is a theme that is talked old-timers, and the palmy days of the 70's, when the Victoria, Vancouver, Vulcan and Van Winkle, the Butch er, Lightning, Dunbar and South Wales and dozens of other famous mines were all working. It was no unusual sight to see twenty, thirty or fifty thousand dollars standing carelessly around in gold-pans drying out before being put away for shipment. The weekly washup in some of these famous mines ran from 600 to 1,600 ounces, or from \$10,000 to \$20,000 per week. That is, when being worked under favorable circumstances with twenty-five or thirty men working, on claim after claim, starting from the junction of Engle and Lightning creeks and extending down below Stanley. It is estimated that from eight to twelve millions were taken out, and old-timers say that there are large tracts of gravel that are known to carry gold in good paying quantities, that is, at the price of labor now, and the cost of supplies would be so much less that ground that would not have payed at that time for drifting would now pay exceedingly well, but the most of this unworked gravel is now unworkable, owing to the old workings being flooded and broken down. If there was a tunnel on bedrock brought up from below far enough so that the old workings could be dryed or worked hydraulicly, there would be millions yet recovered, and it will, we believe, yet be done. The old channel was never worked below the Costello claim to any extent, as by the time this ground was opened up claims further up the creek were worked out and stopped pumping. The result was that below them the water was heavier to handle, and eventually drove them out. Modern machinery will, however, it is thought, overcome all the difficulties. A company will soon begin operations on the old Eleven of England group of four claims, which were after a thorough examination bought last year by Messers. Manual and Bremner, and since sold to the Consolidated Cariboo Company. The price paid for these properties was \$30,000 cash. Chinese have been rocking along the banks of the creek since early days and several Chinese companies are working small hydraulics in the vicinity of Stanley. One company has what appears to be a valuable property directly opposite Stanley.

Geo. Murdock has some hydraulic be showing up well. All along down leig dollars standing carelessly around in gold-pans drying out before being put away for shipment. The weekly wash-

sluice boxes. The small streams on each side are also gold-bearing, and some very rich, notably Andersón, Lovett, Peters and others.

The Lightning Creek Gold Gravels & Drainage Company bave a force of men at work on their property and are doing good work. They have three shifts at work on a tunnel now being run to drain the rim rock on the left-hand bank going up stream, and will sink a permanent working shaft in bedrock at a place selected by Messrs. Jones and Deacon two of as good deep gravel men as are in Cariboo. The former, Harry Jones, is in charge of the work as forceman. James Dencon sunk for the company a prospecting shaft just across the creek, and from the conditions he found in the successive layers of material he passed through in sinking some 70 feet, he states in his report that there is a deep channel that is confined between limited areas—that is, from simple space, in the successive layers of clay and gravel that he passed through he finds precisely the same conditions that he and others found in upper Lightning creek, where the ground was so remarkably rich. His report, made after he had spent some months in prospecting the creek on the grounds that he and others found in upper Lightning creek, where the ground was so remarkably rich. His report, made after he had spent some months in prospecting the creek on the grounds that he and others found in upper Lightning creek, where the ground was so remarkably rich. His report, made after he had spent some months in prospecting the creek on the grounds that he and others found in upper Lightning creek, where the ground was so remarkably rich. His report, made after he had spent some months in prospecting the creek on the grounds that he and others found in upper Lightning creek, where the ground was so remarkably rich. His report, made after he had spent some months in prospecting the creek on the grounds that the feet had been creeked and by location, the parchase of the Big Bonanza property on the same appoperty of common the property and the c he finds precisely the same conditions that he and others found in upper Lightning creek, where the ground was so remarkably rich. His report, made after he had spent some months in prospecting the creek on the grounds owned by the company, by reason of a private bill secured from the legislature of British Columbia some years ago, and by location, the parchase of the Big Bonanza property on the same creek, and in various ways have secured title to a very large tract of this section, and when it is once opened up as the company propose to do eventually, by a large drain tunnel, some 2,000 to 3,000 feet of which is now completed, a property of enormous value will be the result. This is at least the general opinion of men of experience in the deep gravels of Cariboo. The Bonanza, owned as above stated by this company, was recently, bought from a company of old-timers who sank to bedrock many years ago, but although they took out some thousands of doiners of coarse gold, precisely the same in character as that taken from the creek 20 miles higher up, they were never able to crosscut to the left-hand bank, the old channel at

this place being so wide. We were informed by the old owners that their reason for selling the property was simply that they could not for lack of means—all being poor men—do the necesold Cariboo.

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The general public will be surprised to learn that a 50-foot concentrator is actually under construction within six miles of Rossland, because there has been nothing in the newspapers about it. The Philadelphia Mining Company, under the management of H. T. Sherrard, has bought land near the Butte mills, six mile below Rossland, on the Northport road, and are actually engaged in building a 50-ton concentrator. The company own the Mountain Trail mining claim on the south slope of Sophie mountain, and are building a wagon road between the mill and the mine, and it is claimed that a 3 per cent, grade can be had. The distance from the concentrator to the mine is less than two miles. Three carloads of machinery have been ordered and are

cent. grade can be had. The distance from the concentrator to the mine is less than two miles. Three carloads of machinery have been ordered and are expected by the time the buildings are ready to receive it. It is claimed by the owners of the Mountain Trail that they have an abundance of concentrating ore.

From the Rossland Miner.

Work will be commenced at once on the California. A ten-drill compressor, hoist and sinking-pumps will be installed as quickly as the machinery can be purchased and put in place, and in addition all the necessary mine buildings will be erected. Continuous development work on a large scale has been decided on, and Mr. William Y. Williams, the superintendent of the Big Three properties, will have charge of the California. Yesterday afternoon a party consisting of will have charge of the California. Yesterday afternoon a party consisting of Messrs. S. H. C. Miner, Jay P. Graves, the president and vice-president of the reconstructed California Mining Company: A. L. White of Montreal; G. Stevens, a director of the Eastern Townships Bank and a shareholder in the California; C. W. Carroll of New York, accompanied by Superintendent Williams, visited the California and inspected the site for a compressor building.

Manager Adams of the Rambler-Cariboo reports that three carloads of ore from the Rambler-Cariboo are almost ready, and will leave for the United States smelters in a few days. The returns from each car will average in the neighborhood of \$3,000.

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The property situated at the head of Quartz and Stewart creeks, owned by Messrs. Holland, Findley, Creamer and Trask, and known as the T. F. Trask group, composed of three claims in all, is turning out well. The surface showing is a lead of decomposed quartz some 40 feet in width. Upon this there have been sunk two shafts, each to a depth of 25 feet; in addition there are two open cuts. An average assay taken from the shaft resulted in the following: Gold, \$38.40; silver, 13 cents. Two shifts are at work on the property, and development work will be continued all summer.

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Two more important discoveries have just been made on Sixteen-Mile creek, at the head of the north fork and Mill creek. Fred. Hamlin, who has been prospecting in that section for the past two months, located a group of claims which he named Monte Cristo and Sfax. The surface showing is a ledge of rose quartz four feet wide, carrying galena, copper and visible gold. The ledge is a contact and lies between porphyry and diorite, and is well defined. Your correspondent saw specimens, and I have no hesitation in stating that the rock is

mit creek is being continued, and it is hoped by the company to set into the lead gravel of the ancient creek bed soon. If so, and it is found as it is confidently believed by old-timers to be, there will be a great boom in the Summit creek neighborhood. All interested in Cariboo will await with great interest further news from the Cariboo Gold Fields, Summit creek and various other promising properties that will, we trust, make a good showing this year.

OHESNELLE

Quesnelle is without doubt the most pleasant place in the northern country to live in, and while it is quiet now and will be for the season, all feel that the change in mining regulations and the re-peal of the obnoxious alien act will gradu-ally bring about a better state of affairs.

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Dredging is being carried on by the Seeley Company, the Hall brothers, and will shortly be begun by the Pittsburg dredge, under the management of Mr. Lee.

The dredging of river beds for gold in British Columbia is bound to be a great feature of mining from now on and whether it is as yet settled what system is the best or not it will be eventually. The gravel of the bars on the Quesnelle and Fraser rivers show by actual test, that is, by shiking shafts to the clay bedrock, in many cases along the river from 25 cents to \$1.50 per cuble yard was found, and in exceptionally rich bars much more, but at the lowest figure named gravel can be raised and washed at an enormous profit. The question of saving the gold, it being mostly fine, although not nearly so fine as that of Saske river or of the Columbia, is the main feature.

Mr. Seeley, who is operating successfully a dredge of the Oleson type on the Quesnelle, 10 miles above its junction with the Fraser, has a very ingenious arrangement for washing the gravel, it being dumped by the elevators directly into a revolving cylinder that sereens the material, allowing none but the finer particles to pass through into the flume. Undercurrents are used, and at the time of our visit Mr. Seeley, who had just started up for the season, was quite confident that his system was a success. He will, we believe, make a success the will, we believe, make a success centually in any case, as he is one of the very few practical dredging men that have ever been in the Cariboo country. During the past season he visited and inspected the system of work on more than 20 dredges in Oregon, California and Montana.

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The Hall brothers are not yet quite ready to begin operations, but ought to be very soon. This plant is very similar to Mr. Sceley's.

Mr. Lee, on the Fraser, is building a new scow to carry his flume, the old having been sunk last season by not being any for.

cared for.
Several other dredges have been built Several other dredges have been built, or partly so, at Quesnelle, but never operated, except a small steam shovel on Rich Bar, where McCaskill operated on some very rich gravel for a few days, but the company being purely a speculative one, failed about that time, and the ground has not been worked since. The little dredge became a wreck.

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It is, however, safe to say that dredging the Quesnelle and Fraser is not more difficult than in many other sections where it is successfully done, and that the bars and river beds are richer there than in many places. It seems, then, safe to prophesy that, whether this year or next, or the year after, for many big dredging schemes are on fort in the yealthy same. prophesy that, whether this year or next, or the year after, for many big dredging schemes are on foot in the vicinity, a success will be achieved, and Quesnelle will be the headquarters for that industry. Hydraulic mining is carried on in the vicinity, but not on a very extensive scale. At the Cottonwood some 40 men are at work under the direction of G. L. Betts, a bright and capable engineer, but they are having a very difficult problem to handle. Mr. Betts hopes to have the works, of, the Cottonwood Alluvial completed in time this senson so as to have a few weeks wash-

w up well in gold. Across the river i West Creek Hydraulic, where a fev the West Creek Hydraulic, where a few men are at work.

Quartz mines may yet be worked in the Quesnelle vicinity. Hixon creek, which is tributary to the Quesnelle country, has a wonderfully rich showing in quartz, so much so that a small mill was put in in early days, but the company had not sufficient funds and the work of development was not pushed to a successful issue, although it is the general belief that there are mines of value on Hixon creek.

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U. L. Bell, of Brantford, Pa., came in on Tuesday from near Lillooet, where he has been assisting Mr. Souther in getting ready a hydraulic plant for operating on the Fraser river benches on the left bank, some it was a subject of the street of the subject of th

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THE WEATHER.

Meteorological Office, Victoria, July 19-8 p.m SYNOPSIS.

| TEMPERATURES. | | |
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| | Min. | Max. |
| Victoria New Westminster Kumloops Barkerville Catgary Winnipeg Portland, Ore San Francisco, Cal. | 55 54 62 46 44 60 50 | 71 72 84 68 86 72 62 |
| FORECASTS | | |

For 24 hours from 5 a.m. (Pacific time Victoria and vicinity—Fresh westerly winds fair; temperature somewhat lower, Lower Mainland—Moderate winds; fair.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD. Report for 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Observations taken daily at 5 a.m., noon and p.m. WEDNESDAY, July 19.

| Deg. | Deg. |
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| 5 a,m | .71 |
| The velocity and direction of the were as follows. | win |

Average state of weather-Fair, Sunshine-12 hours 30 minutes.

Barometer at noon-Observed... Corrected... E. BAYNES REED,

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THE BOSTON MAIDEN.

From the Denver Evening Post.
She stood upon the Pullman platform, rapt in wonder as the train did upward creep 'Neath peaks by grand eternal snow crowns cupped, Through conyons deep.

"Great scenery," to break the fee, I said, "Imount rebensible, majestic, grand!"
And she replied, with nod of queenly head:
"It heats the band!"

"Those towering pines, how graceful it their pride, Swayed by the passing breeze from tops to roots: Are not they kingly?" and she replied: "Say, ain't they beauts!"

What mighty power nerved the hand that split
These mighty rocks apart, and hurled them back!"
With upturned eyes she answered "Wasn't it
A crackerjack!"

'These rugged canyon walls on either side Present they not a most imposing front?' she turned her eyes upon them and re-plied: "Well, I should grunt!"

"Didst note the golden haze which dreamil Spread o'er the hills when day began to dawn?" She thought a moment and then answere "Yes, I caught on!"

The Siberian Railway.

Marvellous Progress Made on Russia's Transcontinental Road Says an Engineer

In Another Year Trains Will Be Running From Ocean to Ocean.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Vancouver, July 19 .- Among the pas sengers who arrived on the Empress of India at Vancouver yesterday was Engi neer M. Sergey Friede, the pioneer American in Manchuria, who is now re turning to New York city from his fourth trip to Central and Northern Asia in behalf of American manufacturing

in behair of American manufacturing interests.

Mr. Friede reports that since his last trip across Siberia, a year aga, marvelous progress has been made in the construction of the Trans-Siberian and Chinese Eastern railroads. American tools, machinery and rolling stock have been introduced everywhere along the line, and while the Chinese coolies, and even Russian workmen struck when steam rock drills were introduced a few months ago, means were found to recomments ago, means were found to recomments. months ago, means were found to reconcile them, but they still imagine that the puffing, thumping drills are worked by devils.

the putling, thumping drills are worked by devils.

"So marvellous is the rapidity with which construction is advancing," said Engineer Friede, "that it may be definitely stated that through trains will be running from Port Arthur and Yladivostock to St. Petersburg before the close of 1900. No one who has not been over the ground within the last three months can realize how near completion the road has been pushed. In fact by this fall, with the exception of a few hundred versts in the very mountainous parts of Manchuria, trains will be run on every section, and by winter, with temporary tracks across the frozen rivers, there will be but few, very short, f any, breaks in the entire distance of about 6,500 miles, and next summer most of the bridges will be placed in position. Then the work of laying permanent tracks will be begun, and in another year the road thoroughly completed and through fast trains running uninterruptedly from oceon to ocean."

Vancouver, July 19,—The body of

Vancouver, July 19.—The body of poor little Benny Austin, reported missing a few days ago from his home on Water street, was found lying beneath the wharf at the foot of Abbott street.

Word comes from Atlin from two sources that Ex-Ald, Shaw of Vancouver is cleaning up \$200 a day from his claims in that district.

Dwelling house and premises, known as No. 86 Menzles street, Victoria, being the continued in the victoria Land Registry Office:

1. Dwelling house and premises, known as No. 86 Menzles street, Victoria, being

Produce at Chicago.

[Reported by Frank S. Taggart & Co., Chicago Board of Trade and New York Stock Exchange brokers.]
Chicago, July 19.—The wheat market displayed surprising weakness to-day, in view of the firm cables and better feeling abroad. Liverpool was equal to 5c, per bushel higher at the opening there, but that fact was offset by the large receipts at the permary markets and when the market opened here. Wheat for September delivery was freely offered at \$\frac{3}{2}\lldott\lloop\ll

Open. High. Low. Close

| Wheat- | 370 | | | |
|--|--|---|--|--|
| July | 701/4 | 701/4 | 69% | 693 |
| Sept | 70% | 711/8 | 701/4 | 709 |
| Dec | 72% | 72% | 72 | 72 |
| Corn- | 175 | | 1 | |
| July | | | | 321/ |
| Sept | 3256 | 3254 | 32 | 32 |
| Dec | 311/2 | 3134 | 3074 | 307 |
| Pork- | 0172 | 0171 | 00 78 | 007 |
| July | | 1 | - 1 | 9.124 |
| Sept | 9.35 | 9.40 | 9.17% | 9.221 |
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| "How insignificant we mortals seem | L. & N 71% 72% 71% 71% | |
| Surrounded by the works of Nature, such As this." She soft replied: "Well, I | B. R. T 113 113% 112% 112% | |
| should dream! | N. P. pf 77¼ 77½ 77 Am, S. & W 55½ 56¾ 55½ 55½ | E 1 1. |
| We ain't so much!" | 30/2 | Inini |
| "Suppose these great walls towering over- | | |
| head | NEW YORK STOCKS. | IJI II III II |
| . Should close upon us in this awful | Interes Dullness Continues to Be the | |
| chasm!" She shrugged her shoulders once or twice | Intense Dullness Continues to Be the | |
| and said: | Main Feature, | I UNIII |
| "I'd have a spasm!" | New York, July 19The intense duliness | |
| "Are you from Denver, may I ask?" and | of the stock market continued to be the | · |
| she | main feature of the trading to-day, as for | I am las |
| Gave me a glance that caused my hair | some time past. Not only was it true of the New York market, but of the Con- | Corner Yat |
| And sald: "Well, I should murmur 'Nit!" | tinental and London markets as well, and | Comer Tat |
| I be | speculation at the different exchanges in | A. |
| A Boston gyurl " | the United States was reported in the same dull and neglected condition. The bears | 1 |
| GOOD OFFICIAL GOES. | took some heart from this continued dis- | , , |
| GOOD OF FICIAL GOES. | inclination to advance and made quite a vigorous attack on the market late to-day. | |
| From the Kamloops Standard. | Earlier gains in some of the specialties | Ihursda |
| The axe has fallen upon Mr. Dodd's | were wiped out, notably in the Tobacco | a man out |
| head, at Yale. For a number of years | stocks, Sugar and in Steel & Wire, and the whole market dropped to the low level | |
| Mr. Dodd has been in the public ser- | of the day. | ľ |
| vice. He has done his duty and has | CLOSING QUOTATIONS. | 8 |
| taken no part in polities, but his place | Amn. Cotton Oil 41% | |
| is wanted, so that he is turned out in- | Amn. Tobacco 98% | AT 2 |
| to the world to hunt another job, which | Amn Sugar | For account |
| he will find hard to obtain, in consequence of the suspense of business ev- | Amn. Spirits | - 01 4040444 |
| erywhere. Mr. Joe Burr is in charge of | Atchison pfd | Damaged |
| his office, pending its removal to Ash- | Baltimore & Ohio | |
| croft. It is understood that a certain | C. R. I. & P | 20 |
| follower of Mr. Joe Martin, whose past | St. Paul 1301/4 | 4 |
| record, in that gentleman's eyes, is bad | Denver & R. G. pfd | |
| enough to entitle him to a position, is to | Man, Elev | DOUTO |
| get the job. | Lend 11 | 131 11 1 1 1 |
| YOU TRY IT | Lead pfd | MIIII / |
| | Leather pfd | 1 11 11 1 1 1 1 |
| If Shiloh's Cough and Consumption | Rubber 50 | DOOLO |
| Cure, which is sold for the small price of 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1.00 does not | Union Pacific | 0. |
| cure, take the bottle back and we will | Steel pfd | Shoe Dr |
| refund your money. Sold for over 50 | Anaconda | (Consisting o |
| years on this guarantee. Price 25 | C.P.R. in London 971/2 Commercial Cable in Montreal 184 | |
| cents and 50 cents. Sold by Henderson | | TERMSCA |
| Bros. | Rosin, steady; strained, common to good, | WM, T. |
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\$1.30 to \$1.35. Turpentine, firmer, 43 to 4335. Molasses, stead, Pig Iron, firmer; Southern, \$17 to \$10,75; Northern, \$17.50 to \$20. Copper, firm; brokers, 1835; exchange, 1836. Lend, quiet; brokers, \$4.35; exchange, \$4.60 to \$4.95. Tin, firmer; straits, \$28.00 to \$29.56; plates, firmer. Speiter, steady; domestic, \$6.25.

| Chicago, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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LOCAL SHARE MARKET.

[Reported by Cuthbert & Co.1

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WEDNESDAY, July 19.

Van Andu touched the highest price in the history of the stock to-day, some local sales being made at 10½ and 10½, while some large sales were made bast at 10½. There are indications that this stock will go higher still. The smelter is now running, and has a capacity of fifty tons per day. Most of the Cornell ore will average 540; some of it \$50. If the cer rut through for the first month goes \$60 per day, or \$45,000 per day, or \$4

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most popular and famous wine on monthly and yearly statistical cords of United States Customs, Champagne there is consumed in number of cases of all other brands proof that Mumm's "Extra Dry" is choicest wine in the market, for thing when they get it. metal cap as shown in cut is on not the famous brand of Mumm's

"Extra Dry" for which PITHER & LEISER are the SOLE WHOLESALE AGENTS for the Province of British Columbia.

Imports of Champagne into the United States, by the sole agents of the various brands from January 1st to July 1st, 1899. The following is compiled from custom house records:



G. H. Mumm & Co's "EXTRA DRY"......52,924 cases Pommery & Greno,..... Moet & Chandon,..... Heldsleck & Co.,.... Piper Heidsieck,.... Louis Roederer, Vve. Clicquot,... Ruinart, Pere et Fils, Perrier-Jouet, Ernest Irroy & Co., Delbeck & Co., A. DeMontobello & Co. Bouche, Fils & Co., St. Marceaux, Theophile Roederer, Various Brands, 15 or more...... 8,890 TOTAL, - 128,175



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